Social and Personal

We are having the first real spring weather here in Gotham, and very happy we are to see the sun and to feel his warmth. It may happen, as is predicted, that the summer will be a severe one and before many weeks we will be surfeited with heat, but for the present we are content, and the streets and shops are thronged with merry, happy crowds, evidently bent on preparation for the coming outling.

All sorts of alluring things are offered. Never, I think, have we known such variety. But the new linen suits and the coatumes for motoring are the specialties of which I want to write to-day. May and June are ideal months for touring, and the demand for suitable clothing is certain to become an insistent one, if it has not already forced itself into notice, while no woman who keeps apace of the times thinks of being without linen suits with which to defy midsummer sums, so that both topics are of urgent interest and claim equal attention.

midsummer suns, so that both topics are of virgent interest and claim equal attention.

The costimes of linen run the entire gamut from severe plainness to elaboration, and include models of most uncompromising tailor style; others that are a mass of tucks, lace and embroidery, and very nearly, if not quite, every intermediate sort. Many tailors are making shirt waist suils, and such only, and will hear of nothins but regulation shirt sleeves and gored skirts, but, on the other hand, there are others who cater to an equally smart clintele, who are showing fancy Etons, with tucked skirts, embroidered and tucked.

The plain shirt waist models have an undoubted distinction that is all their own, and serve admirably for morning wear, golf and the like, but no one can deny the charm of the pretty little Eton suits or the utility and comfort of the coats. Argue against it as we will, every woman finds a distinct feeling of comfort in going into the street covered with a wrap of some sort, let it be as tiny as it may. The shirt waist dresses are worn, and will be worn, but there also will be many half-fitted coats, mahy Norfolks and a whole host of the pretty little Etons for occasions of greater dress, while, in addition, linen is to be seen made up into really elegant gowns, with long skirts and blouse waists that are worn with little shoulder capes, stoles or fichus of the material or of heavy lace.

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worn with little shoulder capes, stoles or fichus of the material or of heavy lace.

Motoring grows more and more common month by month. A drive in the park or on the riverside shows so many autosome is tempted to wonder if it can be true that only a few years ago little crowds collected to watch' the barange machine as it went by. As a result, suitable costumes become an important theme. That they are uniformly ugly in no way interferes with that fact, and that they make a complete disguise seems only to add to their interest.

The girl who declared her escort so engrossed with manhging his machine as to have neither eyes nor words for her, and she who sent her maid in her place, being careful that she wore her own correct suit and hood, saying: "There will be no opportunity for speech, and he cannot see your face," may be exceptions in fact, but not in spirit. The sitalned expression, the builting eyes, give evidence that there is no time or thought for aught else, even though the lovellest woman in the world shares the seat, and any passing glance at the shapeless coats and the hoods with veils that completely hide the features is enough to safgest at once their usefulness as a masquerade.

The latest and smartest cestumes are of leather, silk or wool lined, and absolutely plain they are, depending on cut and finish for style. Skirts are either gored or made with circular tops and circular flounces, and coats are of the box sort, stitched and held by buttons of leather, with metal rings. Others, in much the same style, are of tweed and of the silk waterproof that is shown in dark blue, green and red. The leather is handsome, and gives one a sense of fitness, but requires expert skill in the handling and is easily hijured by rain, in spite of the fact that it protects its wearer while both it and the waterproof material are open to the objection of lack of ventilation. Tweed and covert cloth, on the other hand, can be cravenetted and rendered shower-proof, while one of the big coats should always be carried,

or cloth gaiters, in place of boots. Bags are flat, but roomy, for the motoring party is apt to be off for a long run, and violet water, a bit of powder and similar comforts of the toilet are quite likely to be needed. When the run is into the country, picnics are often planned, and to enjoy such it is well to be able to slip off the coat and sweater, leaving a fresh waist beneath, and to rid one's self of the dust that will penetrate to some extent in spite of veils and hoods, of long cloaks, and all the preventives ingenuity can supply.

MAY MANTON.

Interesting Exercises.

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The exercises attendant upon the breaking of ground for the new Second Baptist Church will take place promptly at 12:30 o'clock Saturday next, May 7th, at the southeast corner of Franklin and Adams Streets, and will arouse an unusual degree of interest.

The opening prayer will be made by the Rey, Dr. W. R. L. Smith, the pastor of the Second Church. The children of the Sunday grhool will then unite in the singing of an appropriate song, Mr. E. D. Hotchkiss leading.

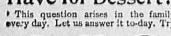
The feature of the occasion will be the presence of Master J. Taylor Ellyson Crump, the three-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Crump, and the grand-

and Mrs. F. T. Crump, and the grand-son of Hon. and Mrs. J. Taylor Ellyh of Hon, and Mrs. J. Laylor Eny-h. He will be the central figure on nom all eyes will be turned. In break-r, the ground, he will use a silver ande made from pieces used by his eat-gyandmother, the late Mrs. H. K.

Ellyson,

He will be followed by nine members
of the Second Church cradie-roll with
their spades: Lawson Younger Tanner,
William Ellyson, Jr., Elizabeth Wilson
Barrett, Lucile Augusta Morrisette, Anna
Christian Guy, Davis Tyree Ratcliffe,

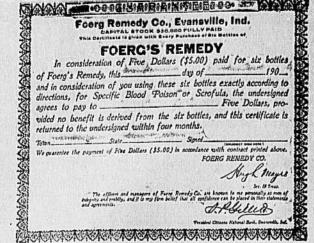
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Jell-O pared in two minutes. No boiling! no baking! add boiling water and set to cool. Flavors:—Lemon, Orange, Raspat your grocers to-day, to cts.

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POEMS YOU OUGHT TO KNOW

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry .- Prof. Charles Eliot

THE FUTURE.

BY ALEXANDER POPE.

This selection is from "The Essay on Man." The biographical sketch, autograph and portrait of Pope have already appeared in this series with other selections from his writings.

EAVEN from all creatures hides the book of fate, All but the page prescribed, their present state;
From brutes what men, from men what spirits know; Or who could suffer being here below? The lamb thy riot dooms to bleed to-day Had he thy reason, would he skip and play? Pleased to the last, he crops the flowery food, And licks the hand just raised to shed his blood.

O, blindness to the future! kindly given, That each may fill the circle mark'd by heaven, Who sees with equal eye, as God of all, A hero perish, or a sparrow fall, Atoms or systems into ruin hurl'd, And now a bubble burst, and now a world.

Hope humbly then; with trembling pinions soar; Wait the great teacher, Death; and God adore, What future bliss, he gives not thee to know, But gives that hope to be thy blessing now. Hope springs eternal in the human breast; Man never is, but always to be blest, The soul, uneasy, and confined from home, Rests and expatlates on a life to come.

Lo, the poor Indian! whose untutor'd mind Sees God in clouds or hears him in the wind; His soul proud science never taught to stray Far as the solar walk or milky way; Yet simple nature to his hope has given Behind the cloud-topp'd hill, an humbler heaven;

Some safer world in depth of wood embraced, Some happier island in the watery waste, more their native land behold No fiends torment, no Christians thirst for gold; To be content his natural desire, He asks no angel's wings, no scraph's fire; But thinks, admitted to that equal sky, His faithful dog shall bear him company

This series began in The Times-Dispatch Sunday, October 11, 1903. One is published each day,

Henry Corey, Jr., Elizabeth Moore Harris and Benjamin Hilliard.

The singing of another song by the Sunday school children and the bestowal of the benediction by Dr. Smith with mark the close of a ceremonial to which many little, as well as big, people are looking forward with enthusiastic anticipation. anticipatio

College Field Day.

Richmond College Field Day will be held Friday, May 13th, on the college

campuls.

Miss Rose Smith, the daughter of the Rev. Dr. W. R. L. Smith, will be the sponsor for the day, with Miss Nannie Waddill and Miss Nell Sinton as maids of honor. The outlook at present is for a large crowd and a splendid programme. The sponsor and her maids belong to the attractive younger society set of Richmond, and are among the most popular and admired girls in the town.

Military, Drill Repeated.

Military Drill Repeated.

The military drill recently given at the Broad Street Methodist Church by a company of twenty-three young ladies will be repeated on the afternoon and evening of May 13th, under the auspices of the Ladies' Ald Society of Leigh Street Baptist Church, in the lecture room of the church.

Saptist Church, in the secture result in the church. The drill will be followed by a May estival, at which fancy articles, ice ream, cake, strawberries and other representates will be sold.*

Miss Sarah Allen is president of the adies' Ald Society; Mrs. Jack Spence is reasurer, and Mrs. Eyerett Forgusson acretary. Among the members are Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Addie Hasker, Miss Nanie Williams, Miss Estelle Morrisette, Mrs. Henry Cottrell, Mrs. Mattie Hardwick, Miss Belie Burch and others.

The lecture room will be artistically the lecture room will be artistically corated in flags and the national

A reduction sale on all housekeeping goods, preserves, pickles and canned fruits at the Woman's Exchange to-day and to-morrow will offer an opportunity rarely within the reach of Richmond housewives, who are cordially invited to call and avail themselves of it.

Rummage Sale.

The rummage sale now being carried on at No. 1997 East Main Stret, by the Richmond Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, will continue until Saturday

In contributing to it those who can give In contributing to it those who can give offer many industrious, hard working people articles that they need at a small cost. At the same time it takes out of the donors' way much that she is well rid of in the way of closet and garret accumulations. Articles can be sent direct to No. 1907 East Main, to Mrs. Mayfield, No. 607 Grove Avenue, or to Mrs. Randolph, at No. 61 East Franklin Street.

Lecture on Egypt.

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of Grace Episcopal Church, a lecture on "Egypt" will be given in the church at \$:30 o'clock this evening by the Rev. Dr. Robert Strange, of St. Paul's Church.

Personal Mention.

A sliver tea will be given to-night at the residence of Mr. W. T. Flizgerald, No. 11 South Third Street, under the auspices of Miss Blair's class of the Sec-ond Fresbyterian Church, for the benefit

Miss Ethel Pace is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. W. Hite, of Louisville, Ky.

Emma Andrews Club,
The Emma Andrews Whist Club will
Imeel this afternoon at half-past fo'clock,

Miss Lottle Garrett, of Williamsburg, Va., is the guest of Mrs. Fannie Crump Tucker, on West Grace Street.

The Alumnae Association of the Wo-The Alumnae Association of the wo-man's College will meet this afternoon promptly at 5 o'clock in the Richmond Hotel. This being the annual meeting for business of importance, all members are requested to be present.

BEAUTIFY RICHMOND.

Call to the Public Spirited and Patriotic Just Issued.

The appended interesting and significant letter is being sent to permanent and public spirited citizens of lichmond:

Dear Sir,—A meeting of the Civic Im
M. Thalhimer.

Richmonders in New York.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, May 5.—Herald Square,
M. Thalhimer.

was called on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. E. H. Gibson.

Mrs. Wallace, of Charleston, S. C., and Mrs. Nevins, of Chase City, Va., are at No. 215 East Franklin Street.

Miss Kate Jamieson, of Danville, Va., is visiting Miss Emmie Wherry, at No. 212 South Third Street.

Miss Lottle Garrett, of Williamsburg, Va., is the guest of Mrs. Fannie Crümp

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Miss Lottle Carrett, of Committee.

Richmond, Va., May 5, 1904.

No movement is attracting more attention from public spirited residents of Richmond at present that that having for its patriotic and praiseworthy object the beautification of the city's streets, parks and homes.

The Civic Improvement League hopes to accomplish much and those most closely and deeply interested now hope that all will see the importance of the end in view and cheerfully work toward it.

Richmonders in New York.

DAILY FASHION HINTS.

Girl's Frock.

Cirl's Frock.

No. 4543—Never has the growing girl been so well taken care of in the matter of dress, as this season. The quaint and pleturesque features that characterize the fashions of the growin ups are emphasized in those of the growin girls. In the charming model shown here, the shoulder is brought well down over the arm, forming a sleeve cap, which gives a decidedly old-fashioned air. The waist is slightly gathered at the neck edge and may be worn in guimpe style if desired. The skirt is the popular flounced style and is most becoming to growing girls. The dress is as pretty made up in linen or wash goods, as in the more expensive weaves. A charming development would be of natural color pongee, trimming the dress with Oriental bands. Lawn, linen, madras or silk combine well to the mode.

Material required for medium size, six yards. 36 inches wide.

Sizes—9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14 years.

On receipt of 10 cents this pattern will

On receipt of 10 cents this pattern will be sent to any address. All orders must be directed to THE LITTLE FOLKS PATTERN CO. No. 78 Fifth Avenue, New York. When ordering, pleuse do not fall to mention number and to indicate that this coupon is from The Times-Dispatch. No. 4543.





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Forty Prizes.

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916 East Main Street.

A NNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1903, OF THE CONDITION OF THE AMERICAN BONDING COMPANY OF BALTIMORE, ORGANIZED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND, MADE TO THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA, PURSUANT TO THE LAWS OF VIRGINIA. RGINIA.

President—JAMES BOND.

Secretary—SAMUEL H. SHRIVER.
Vice-President—CHAS. A. WEBB.
Incorporated—APRIL 6, 1894.
Commenced Businers—JANUARY 16, 1805.
Principal Office—BALTIMORS, MARYLAND.

INCOME.				
Fross premiums unpaid December 31, last year	Surety \$105,689 726,439	64		
Total	\$32,120 166,138	52 36		
Ontire premiums collected during the year	\$725,991 73,870	16 53		
Net cash actually received for premiums. Interest on mortgage loans. Interest on collectal louislends on stocks. Interest on bonds and dividends on stocks. Incose rents from company's property. Income from all other sources, viz.: Trust Income. Joilateral deposits, etc.			652,120 2,071 8,007 52,063 973 2,385 126,904	15 00 86 62 45
Total income		\$	845, 157	18
Aggregate last balance and income		5	2.896.026	81

Total income		
Aggregate last balance and income	\$2,896,026	81
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Surety, Sure		
Net amount paid policyholders for losses. to stockholders for interest or dividends. summission or brokerage, less amount received on return premiums and re-	\$ 271,728 80,600	
insurance salaries, traveling and all other expenses of agents not paid by commissions napections salaries, traveling and all other compensation of officers and home office employes. It other taxes, licenses and insurance department fees octage and express. The company's occupancy of its own buildings, company's occupancy of its own buildings, company occupancy of its own buildings, company occupancy of its own buildings.	19,883 11,040 7,607	70 70 30 82
\$11,82.05 urniture and fixtures. divertising, \$21,351.85, and printing and stationery, \$12,023.07 oss on sale or maturity of ledger assets, stocks and bonds. Ill other Hems.	21,827 8,044 83,877 127,068	72 90
Total disbursements		
Balance	\$2,029,728	20
ASSETS.		
took value of real estate unincumbered, \$71,317.23, incumbered, \$1,284.00. fortgage loans on real ostate, first liens. onas secured by piedge of bonds, stocks or other collaterals, book value of bonds, excluding interest, \$550,074.22, and stocks, \$750,537.1d. ash in company's office, \$10,512.23; deposited in bank, \$271,173.32. Il other items, viz. Accounts receivable, secured.	52,523 150,990 1,340,211 281,685 181,715	48 09 38 55 63
Ledger assets, per balance	\$2,029,728	
Non-Ledger Assots nterest due and accrued on bonds, mortgages, collateral loans and other assets, ross premiums in course of collection.	20,321 106,138	30
peduct excess of book value of stocks and bonds over market value	\$2,156,187 13,356	71
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LIABILITIES. Net unpaid claims.

Gross premiums (less reinsurance) upon all unexpired risks, running one year or less from date of policy; Surety, \$065,607.91; Uncarned premiums (50 per cent.), \$332,518.55.

Total uncarned premiums, as computed above...

Total uncarned premiums, as computed above...

Commissions, brokerage and other charges due and to become due to agents or brokers on policies issued since detoher 1, 1663... 20,836 85 085 83 463,818 84 100,000 00

Reinsurance.
Collateral and special deposits.
Bills payable. Total amount of all Habilities, except capital. \$1,000,000 00
Capital actually paid up in cash 133,247 21
Surplus over all Habilities 132,247 21 \$1,009,583 01

SCHEDULE OF REAL ESTATE OWNED. THE VALUE THEREOF, THE NATURE AND AMOUNT OF ALL LIENS AND INCUMBRANCES THEREON, INCLUD, ING INTEREST DUE AND ACCRUED. Quantity Dimensions and Location of Lands; Value of Value 60,000 02 14,000 00 1,000 00

SCHEDULE OF SPECIAL DEPOSITS—STATEMENT OF ALL DEPOSITS OR INVESTMENTS TIMES-DISPATCH BUILDING,

Bargain Sale Continued

Our sale last week of

SLIGHTLY USED UPRIGHT PIANOS

was such a success that we have decided to continue it during this week, and we have therefore taken from our rent stock

EIGHT EXCELLENT UPRIGHTS.

which are in nearly perfect condition—hard to tell from new Pianos—which will be offered at big bargain prices. We have also added

FIVE CHOICE UPRIGHTS,

which are new Pianos, but are slightly "shopworn" and these will go with the others. Now is your chance to procure a REAL BARGAIN. An early visit will enable you to get

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For every Victor Record returned, you buy three, and give us one old one and pay for the other two. Hear the latest new Records, they are wonderful.

VICTOR TALKING MACHINES from \$15 upwards. Walter D. Moses & Co.

100 East Broad Street, Richmond, Va.

State	IES WHEREIN SUCH DE	Par	Market	Uncarned	losses and	Total
or Country.	of Deposit.	value.	value.	premiums.	liabilities.	liabilitie
City of Richn Ohio.	nond, Va., bonds	\$ 25,000	\$20,250	\$ 5,212	13	\$ 5,242
United Raily Baltimore,	ray and Electric Co., of	35,000	82,026	27,253	2 \$36,000	63,253
works and	sewerage bonds	50,000	50,000	4,271	×	4,271
Deposits for the Ber	nore, Md., stock	50,000	50,625	4,507	07	4,507
Tennessee. State of Tenn	cessee 3 per cent. bonds	25,000				
Georgia.	gia, 4% per cent. bonds	25,000				
	more, Md., stock	100,000				
	more, Md., stock	10,100				
City of Baltin	more, Md., stock	115,000				
United Railwa	y and Electric Co., of Bal- er cent, gold bonds	D-1,000				
elmore 4 ne	ry and Electric Co., of Bal-	50,000				
city of Bal	Prust Co., Pittsburg, Pa., timore, Md., stock	50,000				
Montana.	R. R. bonds, 4's	25,000 25,000				

	Par	Market	Amount
No.	Value.	Value.	Thereon.
Shares. Description of Collateral.			Tuercon,
150 Central Real Estate & Trust Co., of Baltimore city, \$	8,100 00	1,377 00	
162 United Rwy. & Electric Co., of Baltimore, com.,	3.800 00	3,800 00	
38 International Trust Co., of Haltimore			\$ 13,000 00
100 National Howard Bank of Baltimore	1,000 00	1,175 00	750 00
31 Broadway & Locust Point Ferry, of Baltimore, Md.,	3,100 00	3,100 00	
1,000 Georgia Southern and Florida	1,000 00	1,140 00	1,000 00
10 Potomac Savings Bank, Washington, D. C	1,000 00	1,000 00	
S First National Bank of Havre de Grace, Md 2.000 United Railway and Electric Co., of Baltimore.	800 00	1,000 00	850 00
Md., 4's	2,000 00	1,820 00	850 00
Assignment of mortgage, 213 acres of land, Dor-	HARDES AND		
chester Co., (Radeliffe et al vs. Elwell)	1.750 00	3,500 00	1,750 00
100 Seaboard Air Line, com	10,000 00	1,100 00	
125 Norfolk Railway and Light Co., (warrants)	12,500 00	937 50	1,700 00
818.636 New Orleans, La., 6 per cent. certificates	8,156 38	8,186 36	6,600 00
7,000 Maryland Telephone and Telegraph Co., of Balti-	A LEGISLANDS	A Common Accounts	
more Md., 5 per cent. bonds	7,000 00	5,250 00	2,500 00
4 Merchants National Bank of Baltimore	400 00	700 00	
200 Mt. Vernon-Woodberry Cotton Duck common stock	100	KS SHAME	
200 Mr. Vernon-Woodberry Cotton Duck Common stock	20,000 00	400 00	
trust receipts	10,000 00	2.000.00	
10,690 Mt. Vernon-Woodberry Cotton Duck Incomes 10 Queen Anne's National Bank, Md	1,000 00	1.500 00	
10 Queen Anne & Sational Dank, Ma	1,500 00	900 00	5,050 00
15 Alabama Cons. Coal and Iron pfd	9.500 00	9.500 00	0,000
190 The State Insurance Co., of Nebraska	12,400 00	12,400,00	7,950 00
124 Brennan-Love Co., stock, Omaha.	12,100 00	4-, 10-	1,000
Assignment of \$10,000 Life Ins. policy, A. J. Love.	10,000 00	1.675 00	1,190 00
100 Wisconsin Central, com	10,000 00	1,010 00	2,100 00
4,000 Maryland Telephone and Telegraph Co., of Balti-	4.000.00	3.000 00	2,400.00
more, bonds	4,000 00	4,000 000	-1300
101,000 Mt. Vernon-Woodberry Cotton Duck first mortgage		TO TOO (10)	
	101,000 00	70,700 00	D4,000 00
127,000 Mt. Vernon-Woodberry Cotton Duck Incomes	127,000 00	25,400 00	500 00
15 Georgia Southern and Florida, 2d pfd	1,500 00	000 000	10,500 00
105 Holt, Morgan Mills Co., stock	16,500 00	16,500 00	
Totals \$	382,536 36	\$188,620 86	\$\$150,990 00

	15 Georgia Southern and Florida, 2d pfd	1,500.00	16,500 00	10,500	00
	Totals N	\$382,536 30	\$188,620 86	\$\$150,990	00
5	SCHEDULE OF BONDS OWNED BY	THE COMP		12.0	
163		Book-	Par	Market	
6	Description,	Value.	Value.	Value.	
2	United Rwy. & Electric Co., of Baltimore city	\$172,645 50	\$179,000 00	\$163,785	.00
5	Bultimore and Ohio S. W	10,000 00	10,000 00	8.950	
1	City of Mobile, Ala	53.625 00	50,000.00	50,000	
- 1	City of Richmond, Va	24,698 11	25,000.00	26,250	
8	City of Norfolk, Va	11.055 27	10,000.00	10,400	
-	City of Manchester, Va	2.050 00	2,000 00	2,140	
1	City of Manchester, va	20,108 20	18,000 00	20,700	
	Town of Snow IIII, Md	20,775 00	25,000 00	28,500	00
399	State of Georgia	24,504 14	25,000 00	24,250	00
38.	State of Tennessee	85.875 00	75,000 00	82,500	00
33	W. Va. Central and Pittsburg Rwy. Co	24,000 00	25,000 00	23,750	00
821	Northern Pacific and Great Northern Joint 4's	27,000 00	25,000 00	24,002	50
an l	Union Pacific R. R. 4's	22,452 00	20,000 00	21,600	
14	Georgia, Carolina and Northern 5's	23,725 00	25,000 00	22,000	00
00	Southern Pacific 5's	28,250 00	25,000 00	26,750	
55	Totals	\$559,671 22	\$530,000 00	\$535,637	50
10	SCHEDULE OF STOCKS OWNED BY	THE COMP	ANY.		
30		Book	1 ar	Market	
52	Description.	Value.	Valu.	Value.	
78	Baltimum after stock 316 per cent., 1945	\$ 59,886 25	\$ 55,500 00	\$ 62,002 400,732	THU.
10			357,000 00		
88		15,654 50	15,100 00	16,647	
	Baltimore city stock, 31/2 per cent., 1928	5,169 75	5,000 00	5,512	
72	Baltimore city stock, 4 per cent., 1920	121,502 67	106,000 00	120,840	
90		3.531 33	3,000.00	3,510	
00	Baltimore city stock, 5 per cent., 1916	8,243 40	8,600 00	8,052	
33	Baltimore city stock, 314 per cent., 1927	84,000.00	80,000 00	\$8,200	
-	Merchant's National Bank of Baltimore	30,075 00	15,000 00	28,500	
56	City of New Orleans, La., certificates	58,388 01	61,230 72	61,230	170
203	Totals	\$780,537 10	\$701,430 72	\$701,217	25
68		Service Control (Victor)		THEFT	PRT

ECHEDULE OF MORTGAGES OWNED DE DUE AND ACCRUED, COMPANY'S V FIRE INSURANCE	CEMBER 31, 1903, VALUATION OF THE HELD AS COLI	PRINCIP HE MORT ATERAL,	GAGED E		t of Ins.
Date of Mortgage, Year Year when when given du. 1505 1000 Maryland, Baltimore city. 1507 Maryland, Baltimore city. 1507 Maryland, Baltimore city. 1503 N. C., Rutherford. 1003 N. C., Rutherford.	principal Pas unpaid. due.	Ac- crued. \$233 83 00 06 01 52	Value of Lands Mort- gaged. \$10,000 12,000	Value of Build- ings. \$54,200 50,000	held by the Co. on the Build- ings. \$21,000 7,000
Totals	\$52,523 48 \$044 84				
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	EXHIBIT OF PREMIUMS.	Premiums Thereon,
	Surety. Premiums in force December 31, 1902	726,439 88
	Total. Deduct expirations and cancellations	\$1,829,916 02 640,545 00
	Deduct expirations and cancellations. In force in the end of the year. Deduct amount relasured.	\$ 680,370 06 15,272 15
	Net premiums in force December 31, 1903	\$ 605,007 01
STANDARD CONTRACTOR	GENERAL INTERROGATORIES. Total losses (less reinsurance) paid from organization of company. Losses incurred during the year (less reinsurance). Total amount of the company's stock owned by the directors, at par value. Total divideads declared from organization of company, cash. Total smoont loaned to officers and directors, \$21,550; Loaned to stockholders Total smoont loaned to officers and directors.	\$ 819,080 50 844,123 69 207,900 00 330 000 00
	Gross premiums (less reinsurance and return premiums) received from organization of company.	
	MITE STATE OF VIRGINIA.	Gross d. Losses Incurred.

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State Agents. \$05,000 00 \$7,000 4 N. TENTH STREET.